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Applicant : Ronald E. STICKNEY et al.
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Docket No. : PB10054.00 Customer No. 53049
Title : External Defibrillation And Transcutaneous Pacing Device And
Methods For Operating The Device

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AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

Applicant is submitting herewith a petition for a two-month extension of time
to extend the period for response to August 7, 2006. In response to the Office Action
mailed March 3, 2006, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which
begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.